

IN THE U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant  
Tadahiro Ohmi et al.  
Serial No.: 09/889,269  
Filing Date: July 13, 2001  
Title: METAL MATERIAL HAVING  
FORMED THEREON CHROMIUM  
OXIDE PASSIVE FILM AND  
METHOD FOR PRODUCING THE  
SAME, AND PARTS CONTACTING  
WITH FLUID AND SYSTEM

Art Group Unit: 1772  
Examiner: Chevalier, Alicia Ann  
Attorney Docket No.: FUK-84  
Confirmation No.: 2418

Petition for Extension of Time


MS: RCE  
Commissioner for Patents  
PO Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicant petitions the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to extend the time for filing of the Response in the above-entitled application for five months from August 9, 2004 to March 9, 2005.

Applicant submits herewith a check in the amount of Three Thousand Five Hundred Fifty Dollars (\$3550) which covers the Extension of Time fee, three additional Independent Claims fee, and RCE fee required by 37 C.F.R. 1.17.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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